


Good Practice in Waste Deposit in Heritage City Centres		
Nº.	Section	Description
0.	Title of the practice	Unified waste containers in the whole Municipality of Krakow: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single-family houses: yellow waste collection sack for selective waste fractions and blue container for mixed wastes • Multi-family houses: yellow container for selective waste fractions and blue container for mixed wastes
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4.	Useful links	www.mpo.krakow.pl
5.	Start date	1 July 2013 – the change of the waste management system in the Municipality of Krakow according to the adopted law on maintaining cleanliness and order in municipalities
6.	Activities' state of the art	Ongoing
7.	Location	Municipality of Krakow including the Heritage City Centre

8.	Inhabitants in the area	768 000 – inhabitants of the Municipality of Krakow (including 1536 inhabitants of the Heritage City Centre)
9.	Description of the practice	
<p><u>Origin:</u></p> <p>Selective waste collection rules are set out in the Regulations of maintenance of the cleanliness and order in the Municipality of Krakow. The Regulations are adopted by resolution of the Krakow City Council. The Regulations establish rules for selective waste collection, frequency of waste collection and types of containers for inhabitants. The main aim of the issue is to maintain clear waste management rules for inhabitants.</p> <p><u>Development and Timescale:</u></p> <p>The Council of the Municipality of Krakow has established frequencies of waste collection from properties. It is set out in the Regulations of maintenance of the cleanliness and order in the Municipality of Krakow and in the schedule of waste collection. Each type of property has various frequency of waste collection and different the type of containers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • multi-family houses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ mixed waste: twice per week – blue container max. 1.1 m³ ○ selective waste (paper, plastic, metal): twice per week – yellow container min. 0.12 m³ ○ selective waste (glass): min. twice per month, max. once per week – green container ('igloo' type) min. 1.2 m³ • single-family houses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ mixed waste: twice per month – blue container min. 0.12 m³ ○ selective waste: once per month – yellow bag 0.12 m³ <p><u>Factors involved:</u></p> <p>According to the law of maintaining cleanliness and order in municipalities and the Regulations of maintenance of the cleanliness and order in the Municipality of Krakow, owners of properties are obliged to equip the property with containers. They have two ways of the duty's execution: purchase or hire containers.</p> <p><u>Legal framework:</u></p> <p>The legal framework related to the waste management in the Municipality of Krakow includes: the law on maintaining cleanliness and order in municipalities and the act of local law the Regulations of maintenance of the cleanliness and order in the Municipality of Krakow established by the Krakow City Council.</p> <p><u>Financial framework:</u></p> <p>Hiring containers cost for example from INTHERWASTE stakeholder Municipal Service Company – the administrator of the waste management system in Krakow:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Container 0.12 m³ – 3.90 PLN per month (~0.88 EUR) • Container 1.1 m³ – 12.95 PLN per month (~2.93 EUR) 		

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Container 1.2 m³ – 29.53 PLN per month (~6.69 EUR) <p><u>Use degree:</u> All inhabitants of the Municipality of Krakow.</p>
10.	Results
	<p><u>Proven results (through indicators) and success factors:</u></p> <p>Latest poll connected with the inhabitants' satisfaction about waste collection in the Heritage City Centre in 1-10 scale:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 62 respondents gave averaged note 8.27 per 10 about waste collection in the Heritage City Centre <p>According to the unified containers in the Municipality of Krakow, inhabitants have the same principles connected with waste management. That is why the waste management system in the Municipality of Krakow is clear for inhabitants and for the Municipality. It is also the facilitation for waste collection vehicles. Their technical facilities enable to load containers from the whole Municipality, including the Heritage City Centre.</p> <p><u>Main difficulties encountered:</u></p> <p>According to the law of maintaining cleanliness and order in municipalities owners of properties are obliged to equip the property with containers – it is not a duty of Municipality of Krakow. Municipal Service Company – the administrator of the waste management system in Krakow and Municipal Police control the execution of the duty in a proper way.</p>
11.	<p>Main lessons learnt from the practice</p> <p>According to the unified containers in the Municipality of Krakow, inhabitants have the same principles connected with waste management. Because of that the waste management system in the Municipality of Krakow is clear for the inhabitants and for the Municipality. It is also the facilitation for waste collection vehicles. Their technical facilities enable to load containers from the whole Municipality, including the Heritage City Centre.</p>
12.	<p>Additional information</p> <p>www.mpo.krakow.pl, the law on maintaining cleanliness and order in municipalities, the Regulations of maintenance of the cleanliness and order in the Municipality of Krakow.</p>